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REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE NOTICE OF OPPOSITION

Ahead Headgear, Inc., a Massachusetts corporation, having its principal place of business at 270 Samuel Barnet Blvd., New Bedford, Massachusetts 02745, requests an extension of time to and including **January 18, 2003**, within which to file an opposition against the above-referenced trademark application.

This request is made so Ahead Headgear, Inc. may investigate this matter and determine whether an opposition is warranted.

This request is submitted in triplicate, as required by 37 C.F.R. § 2.102(d).

Respectfully submitted,

Ahead Headgear, Inc.

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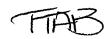
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Request for Extension of Time to File a Notice of Opposition

to AHEAD OF TIME, Serial No. 76-415,642

Dear Sirs:

Enclosed please find an original and two copies of a Stipulated Request for Extension of Time to File a Notice of Opposition, which request is being made by Ahead Headgear, Inc.

Please stamp the enclosed postcard in acknowledgment of receipt and return to me.

Sincerely,

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